

ADDENDUM FOR DSO 605 "RECOVERY OF POSTURAL EQUILIBRIUM CONTROL FOLLOWING SPACE-FLIGHT"

DATA CONFIDENTIALITY PLAN

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DSO SPECIFIC QUESTIONS

See attached.

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DSO 605 "RECOVERY OF POSTURAL EQUILIBRIUM CONTROL FOLLOWING SPACE-FLIGHT" MOTION PERCEPTION REPORTING

Crewmembers will participate in a one hour preflight training session for motion perception reporting. The training session will include: 1) review and definition of motion perception vocabulary terms, categories of motion perception disturbances and examples of previously reported in-flight, entry, and postflight motion perception disturbances; 2) demonstrations of perceptual illusory phenomena; and 3) practice using the motion perception vocabulary while experiencing altered sensory conditions. The Preflight Adaptation Trainers (PATs) will be used to provide these novel sensory inputs/conditions.

Preflight Motion Experience History

1. How many previous missions have you flown? _____
2. Are you a pilot? _____ No (proceed to question 4)
_____ Yes _____ Military _____ Private

3. Have you flown aerobatic maneuvers? (proceed to question 4)
1. _____ No
2. _____ Yes

3a. What type of aircraft do you most often fly? _____

3b. How often do you fly aerobatic maneuvers? _____

3c. Describe the type of aerobatic maneuvers you perform.

3d. How susceptible are you to motion sickness during aerobatic maneuvers? Code# _____

Not at all	Minimally	Slightly	Moderately	Very	Extremely
0	1	2	3	4	5

3e. What type of maneuvers produce sickness symptoms?

4. Using the code/description for motion sickness susceptibility presented below, how susceptible are you to:

_____ car sickness
_____ seasickness
_____ simulator sickness
_____ carnival rides

Not at all Minimally Slightly Moderately Very Extremely
0 1 2 3 4 5

IN-FLIGHT EXPERIENCE

Spatial Orientation

5a. Before initiating a change in my location inside the orbiter, I

_____ always know in which direction I should move without thinking about it.

_____ had to stop and think about my current location and the direction in which I should move in order to reach my intended location.

_____ had to stop and think about my current location and intended direction only if I were in an orientation other than with feet towards the deck.

5b. At what time during the mission did changing your location become "automatic"? _____ MET.

6. Were you aware of the position of your limbs with respect to your trunk or with respect to each other?

Eyes open: _____ yes _____ no

Eyes closed: _____ yes _____ no

If yes, did awareness return when you moved a limb?

_____ yes _____ no

7a. During times when your body orientation was other than with your feet towards deck, did you experience any of the following?

_____ Time delay in changing "internal" orientation to match new orientation within the orbiter

_____ Longer time than "normal" reading switch positions

_____ Longer time than "normal" recognizing objects

_____ Motion sickness initiated

_____ Motion sickness exacerbated

Did these change over the course of the mission?

_____ Yes _____ No

7b. During times when your body orientation was Earth vertical with respect to the orbiter, did you

_____ always feel Earth-vertical

_____ feel that your body was at some angle (_____ deg). This perception was resolved by _____ MET.

8. What happened when reaching for objects in flight?

_____ No problems

_____ Overshot target

_____ Undershot target

If you overshot or undershot targets, at what point in time during the mission was this resolved? _____ MET.

9. Did you have difficulty moving in zero-g? If yes, describe the experience, when it occurred, and if it improved with time and/or practice _____

Motion Perception

10. Using the terms contained in the Motion Perception Vocabulary, describe any illusory self- or surround-motion experiences; note the type of head or body motion performed, the phase of the mission, whether eyes were open or closed, and the perception elicited:

Head/Body Motion	When?	Eyes open/closed	Perception
_____	_____	_____	TYPE: _____ self _____ surround
_____	_____	_____	PATH: _____ curved
_____	_____	_____	_____ straight
_____	_____	_____	_____ mixed
_____	_____	_____	DIRECTION: _____ same as HM
_____	_____	_____	_____ opposite to HM
_____	_____	_____	PHASE _____ lag _____ how much
_____	_____	_____	_____ no lag
_____	_____	_____	AMPLITUDE (gain):
_____	_____	_____	_____ velocity > input
_____	_____	_____	_____ velocity < input
_____	_____	_____	_____ displacement > input
_____	_____	_____	_____ displacement < input
_____	_____	_____	_____ velocity w/o displacement
_____	_____	_____	_____ displacement w/o velocity

11. During treadmill or other forms of exercise on-orbit did you experience any of the following:

_____ perception that the orbiter moved up/down while running, or fore/aft while rowing, etc.

_____ trouble with vision, i.e. difficulty focusing

_____ perception that head or limb movements were exaggerated
 _____ velocity _____ displacement

_____ sensation of linear movement during motion that you would otherwise associate with a tilt or an angular motion
 _____ direction _____ magnitude

Neurosensory Perceptions

When answering questions 12-14, write the letters corresponding to the perceptions that apply; add any sensations or experiences not listed if appropriate.

- a. visual streaming
- b. oscillopsia
- c. illusions of object motion
- d. illusions of object position
- e. illusions of depth/contour
- f. changes in visual acuity
- g. sensation of discomfort or "something is wrong"
- h. time delay in refocusing an object (accommodation problems)

12. What happened when you shifted your gaze from near objects to far objects or vice versa? _____

13. What happened when you moved close to a wall or corner? _____

14. What happened when reading switches or checklists? _____

ENTRY

15. Indicate the extent of your duties and/or activities during entry:

16. Identify the sensations you experienced from the onset of G-forces until wheels stop:

_____	felt abnormally heavy
_____	felt awkward during movement (describe the movement)
_____	changes in visual acuity
_____	other; describe _____

WHEELS STOP AND EGRESS

17. Did the attitude of the orbiter at wheels stop feel like something other than straight and level?

Describe _____

Identify the sensations you experienced just after landing:

18. When I first stood up from my seat I

- _____ felt normal
- _____ felt stable with eyes open
- _____ felt unstable with eyes open
- _____ felt stable with eyes closed
- _____ felt unstable with eyes closed
- _____ other

19. When I walked around on the middeck

- _____ my movements felt normal
- _____ my movements felt exaggerated/magnified
- _____ I felt weakness in my limbs
- _____ I felt dizzy
- _____ I limited my head/body movements because _____

20. During egress

- _____ my movements felt normal
- _____ my movements felt exaggerated/magnified
- _____ had to hold on to the railing for stability while descending the stairs
- _____ felt very unstable as I walked around the orbiter
- _____ limited my head/body movements because _____

21a. Was there a "dead band" within which it was difficult to determine your head position with eyes closed? _____ yes _____ no

21b. If there was no "dead band", but movement of head and body felt exaggerated, was there some difficulty in determining the limits of stability? _____ yes _____ no

POSTFLIGHT

22. Do you feel normal, i.e., free of neurosensory disturbances while performing the following activities:

	<u>Yes</u>	<u>No</u>
Standing stationary	_____	_____
Walking	_____	_____
Turning corners	_____	_____
Driving a car	_____	_____
Riding in a car	_____	_____
Lying in bed at night	_____	_____
Bending over (forward/ backward, or to the side)	_____	_____

Describe your sensations for any activities where you had presisting illusory phenomena or any perceptual after effects following landing and note time and place of occurrence.
